Area Highlights

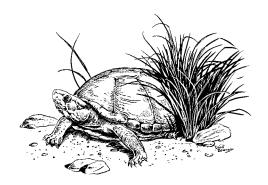
John N. and Melba S. Anderson Memorial Conservation Area is located in Crawford County, southeast of Steelville on Valleyside Road. The area consists of 341 acres. This area was opened to the public in March 2007. The terrain is relatively flat and covered in mixed oak and hickory. Old vineyards have grown up into thickets of Eastern red cedar.

Recreational Opportunities

Bird Watching – Hiking – Hunting Outdoor Photography – Wildlife Viewing

Conservation Areas are closed from 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. except for authorized fishing and hunting activities.

- No fireworks.
- No open fires.
- Dogs must be leashed when not used for training or hunting.
- Nuts, berries, fruits, mushrooms and wild greens may be taken for personal use. Cutting or removing other vegetation is prohibited. The taking of wild greens from natural areas is prohibited.
- Motor vehicles are allowed on public roadways and in parking areas.
- The area has a designated "No Shooting" zone (see map).



Hunting and Trapping

Hunting is allowed under statewide regulations with the following exceptions:

- Deer and turkey regulations are subject to annual changes. Please refer to Spring Turkey or Fall Deer and Turkey Booklets for current regulations. Except: archery methods may be used. Deer hunting with firearms is prohibited.
- Only portable tree stands are allowed and only from September 1 through January 31. Unattended stands must be plainly labeled on a durable material with the full name and address, or Conservation Number, of the owner and be removed from the area before February 1. Use of nails, screw-in steps, and any material or method that would damage the tree is prohibited.
- Furbearer trapping is permitted by special-use permit.

Nearby Department Areas

Huzzah Conservation Area Indian Trail Conservation Area Crooked Creek Conservation Area Pearl G. and John J. Sizemore Memorial Conservation Area

For local information, contact:

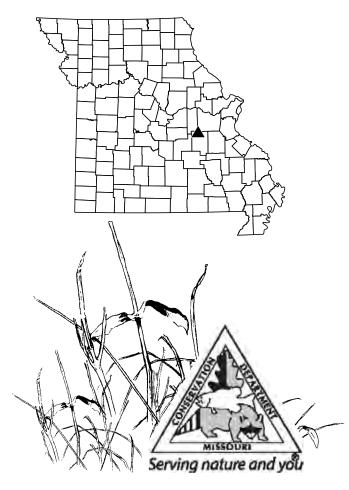
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(Regulations are from the Wildlife Code of Missouri and selected statutes of the State of Missouri. Special area regulations are in Chapter 11 of the Wildlife Code. A free printed copy of the Wildlife Code, which lists most area regulations, is available from the Conservation Department. Chapter 11 in its entirety is available at www.sos. mogowladrule/sor/kurerntl/SS/36x.ap.) Equal opportunity to participate in and benefit from programs of the Missouri Department of Conservation is available to all individuals without regard to their race, color, religion, national origin, sex, ancestry, age, sexual orientation, veteran status, or disability. Questions should be directed to the Department of Conservation, P.O. Box 180, Jefferson City, MO 65102, 573-751-4115 (voice) or 800-735-2966 (TTY), or to Chief, Public Civil Rights, Office of Civil Rights, U.S. Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20240.

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